

Oct. 11, 2008

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# Neighborhood Gathering

**This Thursday!**  
**October 16th 7:00p**  
**453 S. 9th - Apt. 1**  
**Host: Dick Stout 838-0961**

## Guests: CITY OFFICIALS!

### ISSUE: Opting out of the Indiana Utility Regulation "thing"

Our City government would like citizens to vote for home rule and opt out of the IURC for our water utility. Come hear **WHY** they feel this is a good thing. Come ask questions and be an informed voter. or...just come and enjoy being with fun neighbors! (Is it a "utility" party? Hmmmmm)

**Bring a SNACK to share. Pop provided - BYBO or wine if you wish!**

**Questions? Call our Co-Chairs:**

**Paul Schueler (428-8253) or**

**Marifran & Jim Mattson (337-5050)**



Neighbor **BETTY REED** is a **STAR!!!!** This month's **HELEN MAGAZINE** features Betty and 4 other women who are veterans of World War 2. **WOW!** Grab a copy and read about our "famous" neighbor! Of course, Betty doesn't like all this attention, but we are **PROUD** of her and **ALL** veterans! So, sorry, Betty - you gotta let us celebrate **YOU!** ☺

Read the **FINE PRINT**: REMEMBER! ALL 9th St. events are for **ALL** residents! (Yes, renters, homeowners and friends!) If **YOU** receive this newsletter, please come join us for the fun! Got it? Good!

## Progressive Halloween Dinner and Party!

**Sat**  
**Oct. 25**



## Appetizers & Drinks: 6:00-6:45p

**Ben & Melodi Gramig's house:**  
**532 S. 9th (742-0240)**

Your dinner stop is already planned and provided for, but we need

pitch-ins for the drinks & appetizers and the desserts. Please call one of the hosts and let them know what **YOU** can provide. Thanks!

## DINNER: 7:00-7:45p

**Dan & Helen Sunkle's house:**  
**610 S. 9th (423-2690)**

## Dessert: 8:00 - ??

**Kate Sherony's house:**  
**410 S. 9th (429-4294)**  
with a **SPECIAL Scary TREAT!**

**PRIZES** for the **BEST COSTUME** and also for the **BEST NON-COSTUME!** So, hey, you don't have to dress up like the Great Pumpkin to be in the running for one of the spectacular traveling trophies! Yeee-haaaw! (by the way - where **ARE** those traveling Halloween trophies?)



**YES! This party is for the whole family! Kids are welcome!**

## GARAGE of HORRORS TOUR!

Assorted neighborhood whiz kids Jack Klink & Will Paget have created another multi-room "tour of terror" in Kate's garage. We Hillers will get a special preview tour during the last stop of our progressive party. It'll get us all be in the Halloween mood!



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**Mark yer calendars!**

## Coming up:

**OCT 16 (THU):** City Utility info mtg. (and party\*)

**OCT 25 (SAT):** Progressive Halloween Party!

**NOV 25 (TUE):** Bag Folding Party & Business Mtg.

**DEC 22 (MON):** Luminaria Warm-up Party!

**DEC 22, 23, 24:** Annual Luminaria Display

**JAN 15 (THU):** 21st Annual POT LUCK Dinner Party

\* didja notice that **EVERYTHING**'s a party in this neighborhood?  
What's not to like about **THAT**? Hope to see you!



-- Congratulations to neighbor **ORV LINDELL** who was awarded the "2008 Summer Spirit of the Season" by the Community Appearance Task Force of Greater Lafayette Commerce. The award highlighted Orv's gorgeous landscaping & flowers surrounding his office space at 10th and South streets.

-- A big **WOW** to **DAVE & SANDY LAHR** who hosted a special overnight guest in their home last Monday: Governor Mitch Daniels. In town for meeting, the Governor asked that he stay in the home of citizens, not in a hotel. The Lahrs loaded the Gov. up with a 9th St. Sweatshirt, cookbook, newsletters, etc.

-- Our sympathy to **TRACY BIBLER** on the loss of her wonderful canine companion Emma. What a fine dog! Emma was a "grand dame" of the canine world. No barking, no jumping, she was calm and serene, and extremely tolerant of all her yappy little terrier neighbors. We'll ALL miss "Miss Emma."

--Neighbor **DOROTHY REIFENRATH** sends a big **THANK YOU** to all her neighbors for the cards and prayers and good wishes during her recent hospitalization. Dorothy is back home and doing well. Dorothy, consider yourself hugged 'til we can hug you in person!

--Several folks have suggested a special memorial fund for our dear neighbor **ISABELLA WILLIAMS** who died this fall - great idea! If you would like to contribute, please send your check to Mary Ann Loepker, 528 S. 9th; 47901.

-- Welcome to (sorta) new folks in the 'hood! Neighbors in the 500 and 600 blocks of S. 7th now have a block rep (thanks, Linda Phillips!) and will be "officially" become part of the 9th St. Neighborhood at our November business meeting.

-- Lucky **YOU!** **SALE!** We've got a **ONE** 9th St. (large) t-shirt (\$8) & 4 XL sweatshirts, 2 L sweatshirts (\$10 each) and 1 baseball cap (\$5). Want one? Call Paul Schueler (428-8253) **YES!** We will be placing orders for new shirts (same design) next month - watch for an order form in the newsletter!

-- Neighbor **PAT GLATZ** is "retiring" as our Block Rep for the Payne Apartments (but certainly not retiring as a great neighbor! Thanks, Pat, for delivering newsletters all those years - you're the **BEST!**